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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to examination of the above-captioned patent application, kindly enter the following amendment.

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph bridging pages 2 and 3 with the following:

RA [0009] U.S. Patent No. _____ (Serial No. 09/351,537 entitled "Device Comprising Thin Film Carbon Nanotube Electron Field Emitter Structure") the disclosure of which is incorporated herein by reference, in its entirety, discloses a carbon nanotube-based electron emitter structure.

REMARKS

This Preliminary Amendment is offered in order to correct a typographical error.
No new matter is added by this amendment.